



Financial Literacy Resources

- **Federal Student Aid (www.studentaid.gov)** is provided by the U.S. Department of Education's and offers free guidance, tools and information about federal financial aid.
- **1-800-4-FED-AID.** This toll-free phone number puts you in touch with Federal Student Aid Information Center staff who can answer questions related to federal student aid programs and the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA).
- **MyMoney.gov (www.mymoney.gov)** is provided by the U.S. Financial Literacy and Education Commission (FLEC) to teach the financial education basics of budgeting, credit management, saving and investing, financial planning, financial aid, and loan obligations.
- **The Federal Trade Commission (www.ftc.gov)** strives to prevent fraud, deception, and unfair business practices. This site gives examples of key questions to ask when considering working with a credit counselor and collects complaints about consumer fraud and identity theft.
- **The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (www.fdic.gov)** provides articles on how to become a wiser, safer user of financial services that will protect and stretch your earnings.
- **Navigating Your Financial Future (www.navigatingyourfuture.org)** is a product from Florida's Department of Education that offers comprehensive debt management tools and multiple resources to promote a positive credit profile and deeper understanding of budgeting skills.
- **The Institute for Financial Literacy (www.financiallit.org)** offers a variety of interactive worksheets, links to available programs, and resources for connecting with financial counselors and educators.
- **College Savings Plan Network (www.collegesavings.org)** provides detailed information about 529 college savings plans, nationwide comparisons of 529 plans, and a college cost calculator.
- **The Young Americans Center for Financial Education (<http://www.yacenter.org/>)** promotes the financial literacy of young people. The center offers real life experiences and hands-on programs to help students build life skills, work skills, and financial self-sufficiency.
- **Jump\$tart Coalition for Personal Financial Literacy (<http://www.jumpstart.org/>)** maintains a clearinghouse of resources that seek to promote financial literacy.
- **Mapping Your Future (www.MappingYourFuture.org)** is a public service, nonprofit organization helping students, parents, counselors and educators prepare for the future by providing online college, career, and financial aid information and services.
- **PBS Your Life Your Money Modules (www.pbs.org/your-life-money)** provides various information, tools and resources to help manage your money and get your financial life on track.

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